

## House Resolution No. 3537

**Whereas**, as the 2006-2007 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

**Whereas**, the Smithville R-II School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 29, 2007, with the retirement of Lonetta Schmollinger who has devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

**Whereas**, Lonetta Schmollinger has taught eighth grade social studies for thirty-seven years at Smithville Middle School, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

**Whereas**, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Lonetta Schmollinger has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

**Whereas**, Lonetta Schmollinger has watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

**Whereas**, so many young Missourians have left the classrooms of Smithville Middle School fully prepared to face the challenges ahead as a result of the outstanding professional endeavors of Lonetta Schmollinger; and

**Whereas**, Lonetta Schmollinger has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include two daughters and two sons-in-law, Leslie and Terry Williams and Jessica and Kurt Fisher; her granddaughters, Kennedy Williams and Peyton Williams; and her mother, Madge Wilson:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Smithville R-II School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Lonetta Schmollinger has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Lonetta Schmollinger, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Doug Ervin  
District No. 35

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3537, adopted May 10, 2007.

---

Rod Jetton, Speaker